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NOTIFICATION

In compliance with the direction of the Election Commission of India vide letter No. 464/L&O/2023/EPS dated 07.06.2023, the State Government is hereby pleased to designate Shri Thakur Thapa, Indian Police Service, Deputy Inspector General of Police, Armed Police as Nodal Officer of Central Armed Police Force (CAPF) and Nodal Officer (Election Expenditure) for State Police for the purpose of assisting State Police Nodal Officer (SPNO) in the ensuing General Election.

2. Duties of CAPF Nodal Officer shall be as under, namely :-

- (1) State CAPF Nodal Officer shall assist SPNO in management, induction and de-induction of CAPF deployed by Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. He shall work in close coordination with State Level Force Coordinator designated by the Ministry of Home Affairs.

3. Duties of Nodal Officer (Election Expenditure for State Police shall be as under, namely :-

- (1) He shall assist SPNO in matter related to seizure of cash, liquor, contrabands and other inducements where State Police is mandated to take action as per the directives of the Commission.
- (2) Nodal Officer (Election Expenditure) for the State Police shall work in tandem and coordination, under overall guidance of SPNO, with Nodal Officers of other Enforcement Agencies like Income Tax Department, Central GST Department, State Excise Department.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

**V. B. Pathak, IAS
Chief Secretary
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